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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
JOSEPH H. BARTOZZI ET AL.
Serial No.: 09/998,814
Filed: October 21, 2001
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
LOCKING FIREARM IN AN OPEN
POSITION BY BLOCKING ACTION)

Group Art Unit: 3641
Examiner: Thomson, Michelle

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2003. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and M.P.E.P. § 710.02(c), Applicant respectfully requests that the deadline for filing this Amendment be extended one month, from May 26, 2003 to June 26, 2003.

A check for \$110 is enclosed to cover the fee for this request. Please charge any additional fee which may be required or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-2622.

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Respectfully submitted,

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